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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 2002DE438 DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) U.S. APPLICATION NO (If known see 37 CFR 1.5) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED PCT/EP2003/012043 30 October 2003 12 November 2002 TITLE OF INVENTION Copolymers Containing Stryene Oxide And Use Thereof As Emulsifiers And Dispersing Agents APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Klaus POELLMANN, Martin GLOS, Anton STRASSER and Eckart KRAEMER Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. The US has been elected (Article 31). A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). has been communicated by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. X An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 7. X Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. have not been made and will not be made. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. X An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 12. X An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. A preliminary amendment. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. A substitute specification. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825. A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.414 and 1.491-1.492. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public, which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 15 minutes to complete, including gathering information, preparing, and submitting the completed form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Mail Stop PCT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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21. X Basic national fee\$300					\$ 300.00		
22. X Examination fee If International preliminary examination report prepared by USPTO and all claims satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4)					\$ 200.00		
23. X Search fee Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority					400.00 \$		
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Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.						-	
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Total claims		9 - 20 =	0	× \$50	\$ 0.00		
Independent claims		1 -3=	0	× \$200	\$ 0.00		
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable) + \$360					\$ 0.00		
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =					\$ 900.00		
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2.					0.00		
SUBTOTAL =					\$ 900.00		
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Addendum

Attachment 1

Express Mail Label No. ED 795273200 US; copy of International Search Report and Transmittal Letter Notification of Amendments Under PCT Article 34 with two pages of amended sheets.



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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that on the date indicated above this International application and the documents referred to as enclosed therein, of:

• CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10 (Express Mail) (1 page)

TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE DO/EO/US (2 pages) w/ duplicate (4 pages)

Executed Assignment with Transmittal Cover (2 pages)

Copy of International Search Report (3 pages)

Transmittal Letter Notification of Amendments Under PCT Article 34

Preliminary Amendment w/ Abstract (06 pages)

 ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF APPLICATION (22 PAGES SPECIFICATION, claims) (claims 9 in number)

• Executed Declaration (2 pages)

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Dear Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified application, an Amendment was filed under Article 34 of the Patent Cooperation Treaty prior to the International Preliminary Examination. Please note that the attached two page, Claims 1-9, were filed with the European Patent Office. We enclose an English translation of the claims for your convenience.

Applicant respectfully requests submission of these pages before examination of the application and before entry of the Preliminary Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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